RICH EASTERN SHORE IS VIRGINIA'S GARDEN SPOT

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The writer for the Record continues toes and onions are harvested. The farming is systematic, and the shipping the same. This is due in a great many. This is good advice and applies as well to the cotton factories of Danyille and other places in Virginia.

The writer for the Record continues to the operatives for them to plant and plng the same. This is due in a great many people practically shut up shop, and, because the loss of trade, do nothing to create new trade or to find new avenues for trade. These are the men always some way to meet an emery always some way to may be formed when it is understood that this organization alone this seaseason, for the harvesting of the sweet

season, for the harvesting of the sweet potato crop has just begun.

A conservative estimate would include at least \$2,000,000 worth of sweet potatoes yet to be sold through the exchange. And, too, it is a fact that most all the land which grew early white potatoes is now in corn, and including point to a very good corn to the last penny, for anything which suits their appetities. They will spend article is an interesting one, and constructed in the towns and though a tringges, as cause in the towns and tringges, as cause in the towns and tringges, as cause in the towns and tringges, as cause the lots of the mill cottages are ausually large, ranging in size from half or a little less to acre lots. There are usually large back and side yards where nothing is planted.

The mill operatives are noted for their willingness to spend money, even to the last penny, for anything which suits their appetities. They will spend

well graded, numerous, consolidated granimar schools, and many high schools preparing for colleges and uni-versities, with special courses for stu-dents not going to college, obtain throughout this land.

peculiar economic development of this

Accornac County has a most progressive Board of Supervisors in co-operation with the Agricultural Departmaintains an agricultural tor, whose business it is to he interest of the agriculserve in the interest of the agricul-tural development of the county. "Sand-clay roads are being rapidly buil, and every undertaking to make rur. life attractive is being pushed.

POREIGN COMMERCE.

Figures for July Made Public-Those

for August Much Smaller. foreign commerce in the United in July aggregated \$314,260,258, increase of \$14,207,810 over July of preceding year. July imports aggested \$160,178,133, compared with even months ended with July the orts of sliver in July, 1914, and 1913, sere \$1.238,104, and \$2,798,950, respec-ively, exports of sliver \$3,052,956 and tively, exports of silver \$3,052,266 and hurry to cover steel requirements. Prices are holding well, and this is regarded as the most satisfactions the first divided in the state this fall, that is to say, those to be held in Richmond. ports were \$13,828,568, against \$20,930,-629 last year, and silver exports \$29,-463,126, against \$38,268,234.

STUART AND MILITARY TO ATTEND CELEBRATION

FACTORY OPERATIVES **GROW THEIR OWN FRUIT**

Great Potato and Trucking Region. Miniature Orchards That May Adors Why Land Is So High-Farmers' Cotton Factory Villages

Shore of Virginia Produce Exchange, fruits. If desired, the interest could

fruit-growing.
"This work could be carried on very son up to this writing has handled more than \$4,500,000 worth of agricultural products. This by no means the company owns a large tract of the entire output of produce for the scale in the towns and villages be scale in the towns and villages, because the lots of the mill cottages are

operatives are given free use, but this

high arrangement is usually unsatisfactory.

"There are many operatives who stuhave planted trees of their own and throughout this land.

Enormous cyster farms, the largest terrapin farm, and the largest wild goose farm in the world come into the peculiar economic terrapin form. past three years she has been getting however, that this advice is easier fruit from them. During this summer she had much more than she could use and can. In case a family moves in during the fruit season, the fruit falls to the renter without much question. But if for any reason the house stands vacant there is usually a row among the neighbors as to who shall have the biggest share of the fruit. among the Beignbors.

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These questions have to be settled by
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"However, if each family had, or was supposed to have, its own supply fruit, there would be no cause wranglings. Another thing of which the mill men have been afraid is the small boy of the viHage. The single oris \$154,082,225, compared or two is a Mecca for the boys of the immediate neighborhood, and this causes more or less contention. Sev-eral trees on every lot would elimi-nate this contention, and, if the boys and girls were interested in caring for the trees and taught in school the principles of pruning, as is being done in some sections, they would exercise a great degree of care for every tree in

PITTSBURGH, September 5.—Domes-ic orders for steel show some falling off, but specifications continue good. the ferromanganese situation in better shape, many consumers are not in such a hurry to cover steel require-ments. Prices are holding well, and

IVIEWS AND NEAR VIEWS;

HINTS AND SUGGESTIONS (Continued from Second Page.)

which to do things. The enterpris-ing community, as well as the enter-prising business man, should make the most of the present condition, and out of its disadvantages win success."

All of that, summed up, sim means now is the time to advertise.

The Southern Tobacco Journal in its

ment of The Times-Dispatch. The article is an interesting one, and contains some real information about dark dications point to a very good corn crop this year. Farmors generally appreciate the value of cowpeas and crimpreciate the value of the va scarce. I will cite one single instance why land is at such a premium in Accomman. S. P. Ward, of Belle Haven, is an expect onion grower. This seaforn he had fourteen acres down in this crop. From this fourteen acres he harvested over 2,000 bushel baskets, and the net profit was \$6,000 from the colon crop alone. This land is now in cowpeas. A net profit of \$150 per acre with the white potato crop is nothing unusual to the farmers.

A splendid system of rural schools, well graded, numcrous, consolidated will be remembered that Congress appointed a joint committee some time ago to investigate the cause of these low prices. We always thought the appointment of such a committee was somewhat of a joke, for there was nothing to investigate. The remedy for this trouble is now at hand. If foreign countries cannot buy dark to-bacca because of the war, let the farm-We believe in almost every section of the dark tobacco growing counties there are lands that will produce bright tobaccos. At the same time The Times-Dispatch does not present a bad idea in advising farmers to grow to-bacco for foreign markets and hold it until the "clouds roll by" and then reap It must be remembered

> One of the old-time country doctors, and they are the best in the world,

Regularity in regard to meals is an important matter. The person who cats at irregular times, plecing between

and of the South present inducements in the matter of soil, climate and nearness to markets that cannot be sur-passed even by the famous fruit val-leys of the Far West, but there are yet large areas of this land untouched.

A paragraph written by Charles man on the land, and he will in his Kingsley, many, many years ago, is campaigns of education ask the citi-especially applicable to-day. He wrote: zens what it profits the State or John-Be not anxious about to-morrow. Do ny or Mary to train them to get more to-day's duty, fight to-day's tempta-corn to the acre if the owner of that tions and do not weaken and distract yourself by looking forward to things which you cannot see, and could not understand if you saw them."

VIRGINIA POULTRY CLUBS

poultry clubs, acting under the Bureau of Animal Industry of the United States Department of Agriculture, has issued a circular of instruction to his issued a circular of instruction to his declared a dividend of 92 per cent on numerous poultry clubs in Virginia as how to make exhibitions and compete runs day and night and has orders tory feature of the trade. Exports of steel to South America are made up largely of the lighter lines. While inquiries for export are large, there has been no extraordinary increase in shipments. Under normal conditions the total exports of the Steel Corporation average about 200,000 tons per month.

Weekly Bank Statement.

New York, September 5.—The statement of the average condition of dearing-house banks and trust companies for the week shows that the cash reserve decreased home that the shipper is a member of the poultry clubs.

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THE EDUCATION FOR

RURAL VIRGINIANS (Continued from Second Page.) Great Potato and Tracking Region.

Why Land is So High—Farmers'
Exchange.

Perhaps the most intensive farming in America is being done on the Eastern Shore of Virginia, in the Counties of Accomac and Northampton.

Two crops yearly from the same parcel of land is the rule, and in many the planting of fruit trees by the operation.

Miniature Orchards That May Adors Cotton Second Page.)

Cotton Factory Villages of the South.

A writer in the Manufacturers' Record, is worthy a good deal of local attention:

"The business man who is always ready to utilize every possible occasion and to the development of his trade, is the man who is most likely to succeed. The same truth applies to towns and cities and all other interests.

"At such a time as this, when the world is stagered by the horrors of ling these things as subjects related to form Second Page.)

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with offices at Onley, on the line of the New York, Philadelphia and Norbolk Railroad, William T. Burton is the general manager. Some idea of the general manager. Some idea of the general manager and periods from the fruits raised, and in order to enthuse the boys and girts scope of agricultural endeavor here may be formed when it is understood that this organization alone this sea.

The work philadelphia and Norbolk Railroad, William T. Burton is the goods from the fruits raised, and in order to enthuse the boys and girts there could be clubs in carting and to rise up in its strength to assert its mould into efficient citizenship the boy-power and the girl-power now and to make the most of the Panama Canal situation. This is the time in upon by so many of our educators? Demark laughs at us and at our boyself elor which goes to reduce the price of the same of the same of the boy-power and the girl-power now and to make the most of the Panama Canal situation. This is the time in the boy-power and the girl-power now down the wish Central and South America, and to make the most of the Panama Canal situation. This is the time in the boy-power and the girl-power now down the wish Central and South America, and to make the most of the Panama Canal situation. This is the time in the proposed elor when goes to represent elor the second that the proposed learn the proposed elor when the sould be caused to represent elor when the sould be caused to represent elor the proposed that the proposed elor the boastfulness, it has long since gone over from the sale of raw materials to the sale of finished products. Thirtyfour years ago the Danes exported horses, cattle, but er, eggs and meat to to buy corn from us on which to feed their cattle. All this has been done through the Danish system of life education begun in the rural schools. Virginia is thrice as large as Denmark, and yet we are content with a system of education that is bookish tions is determined to make Virginia a great corn State, a great hay State, a great dairy State, a great hog State, a great poultry State, a great fruit State. God never made a land that could prosper permanently without live stock.

TOOK A SIDE SWIPE AT LAND QUESTION President Eggleston handled the land question in a masterful manner in his references to the opportunities of the country superintendent. This officer should not only do the routine work, but take an active interest in rural telephones, good roads, co-operative clubs for boys, girls, men and women, community work, greater crops, better methods of farming, and, in fact, be a leader in all things tending to advance The State Superintendent should be a man of broad ideas, as well as an to his constituency that the training of the children and parents to double or quadruple productions will be of no benefit to them if they are to be the victims for just that much more man, the corporation, or those whose purpose is to make more money out of the increased efficiency of the chil-dren and their parents. If Johnny and Mary and their parents do not own the land there is not a State in the Union that protects them from exploitation by land owners, who are not land users, and there is not a State in the Union that does not tax the industry of these parents and their children for the sake of the man who owns the land, but does not himself use it. The State superintendent will understand that the man who owns the land owns the man on the land, and he will in his

Mary's greater efficiency. Profit in Co-Operation

land or of similar land raises the rent

NIA POULTRY CLUBS

EXHIBIT WITHOUT COST

Kinghorne, the State agent in clubs acting under the Buren who was a state agent in the state agent in th stockholder is a politician, who put the factory on its feet. The company is capitalized at \$25,000, and has just 1910, after eight years of operation

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Probably the extraordinary success of this glass factory is due to the fact that there are no drones working for it. Every man puts in his best licks, no doubt, to the end that the dollars shall come pouring into the treasury in exchange for its commodity.

AS OTHERS SEE US

(Continued from Second Page.) that followed 'Tax Reform in Virginia,' and a member of the State Commission. out a correct principle for taxation must be worked out. Unimproved property must be made to pay its share of tax burden. The tax on thrift and industry must be removed.

"Virginia's increased interest in al-falfa, on which she holds the prize for the United States, through the exhibits of Mr. Bellwood, was shown in the close hearing given Willis O. Wing, of Columbus, Ohio, one of the celebrated alfalfa Wing Brothers. For nearly two hours he was called upon to an swer many questions about alfalfa, the most helpful as a preparatory crop for

here in Virginia. are bringing things to pass.

"Notwithstanding the general tendency to a diminution in the cut of lumber in this country," says the Manu-facturers' Record, "the high mark having been reached in 1909, when the out put was 44,555,000,000 feet, the South continues to increase its proportion of the total. Last year it cut 21,532,683. continues to increase its proportion of the total. Last year it cut 21,532,653,-ear Bristol and the institution of conceoling to clear the total cut of 38,387,009,000 feet in the United States. There was a decrease in the strong indication that Bristol, with its 1918 cut from that of 1912 of 74,836,-000 feet in the South and of 696,669,-000 feet in the rest of the country." In 1912 Virginia cut 1,569,997,00 feet, and in 1913 she cut 1,273,953,000 feet, showing a decrease of 296,044,000 feet, in 1912 North Carolina cut 2,193,308,-000 feet, and in the following year east on the Holston River. The elec-

IN OLD VIRGINIA

The only hope for the adjustment of the taxes of corporations, he said, is the readjustment of taxes on real es-tate. Before these can be straightened

Sweet clover he has found

growing alfalfa.
"In no State is the farm demonstra-tion work in higher favor than right This is due to things accomplished. State Agent Sandy, to-gether with his assistants, Messrs. Farrar and Shackleford and Miss Agnew, of the Girls' Canning Clubs, of Farmville, Va. presented some re-markable facts, showing unmistakably how this great work is enriching the

SOUTH'S LUMBER CUT.

SPAIN TO THE RESCUE

Fertilizer Makers and Others See Emanicipation From the Mighty German Syndleate. A special from Boston to the Trade Journal says: It is probable that the

world is about to shake itself free from the domination of the German kali syndicate.

Potash in immense quantities has been discovered only recently in Spain, and already French and Spanish englineers have proved up deposits in the way of cleaning out and beautifying this picturesque region. world is about to shake itself free from and already French and Spanish en-glineers have proved up deposits in the vicinity of Barcelona containing over

200,000,000 tons of the highest grade potash salts the world has yet dis-These discoveries mean everything to America. They are of incalculable value to the fertilizer companies, but they also mean much to the woolen in-

dustry, which uses potash in scouring and for other purposes. goes into a wide range of industrial endeavor and a free market would mean not only cheaper prices, but some supplies at an early date. It is understood that one of the largest fertilizer companies in the United States has already secured valu-

able concessions in these Spanish deposits and will begin development work potash could not come out of Spain in a year. It would probably be two years before large quantities could come forward in a commercial way. These Spanish deposits outcrop in certain cases, something which rarely happens in Germany. Some of the Some of the German mines run down 1,500 and 2,000

feet, and the shafts through operations are conducted are mously expensive to construct owing to the necessity of keeping all water seepage out of the mine. It is good opinion that potash from Spanish sources can be secured at less than half what it has been costing in Ger-

City on Virginia-Tennessee Border BRISTOL, TENN-VA., September 5.
—With the purchase of additional lands
near Bristol and the institution of con-

In 1912 North Carolina cut 2,193,308, 000 feet, and in the following year the cut was 1,937,258,000 feet, a decrease of 1,036,050,000 feet, a decrease of 1,036,050,000 feet.

Fifteen States cut more than 1,000, 600,000 feet each in 1913. Eight of them were Southern States, which cut 15,743,541,000 feet, or 73 per cent of the total Southern cut. Among all the States of the country Louisiana ranked second in the cut, Missisppl, third; Texas, fifth; North Carolina, sixth; Arkansas, seventh; Alabama, eighth, and Virginia, tenth.

the scenes of interest in this great forest reserve. Representative Sam R Sells, of the First Tennessee District, who has deeply interested himself in this subject, has besought the authorities of the Forestry Bureau to con-struct stone roads through the reserve. Such roads as the government will construct in this connection can, and

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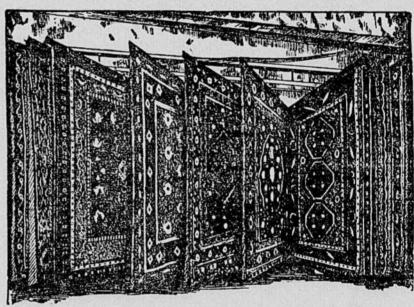
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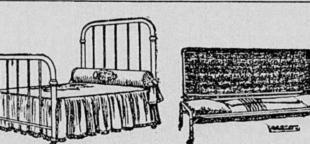
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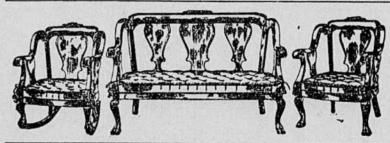
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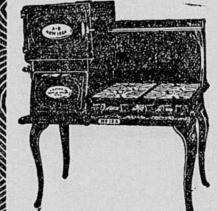
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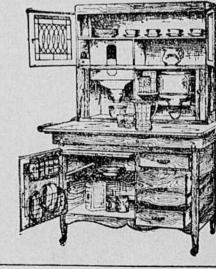


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